FIRKA DEVELOPMENT **(1954 9) Department**

MS. **SERIES.**

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Subs:- Industries - Cottage Industries - Formation of a separate Department - Recommendation of the Retrenchment & Re-organisation Committee - Orders

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
ABSTRACT.

INDUSTRIES - Cottage Industries Formation of a separate Department - Recommendation of the Retrenchment and Reorganisation Committee - Orders passed.

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FIRKA DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT. II.

G.O. Ms. No. 811 dated 28.8.49.
Read the following:

1. Letter Rc. No. 43926/48-V2, dated 24.5.48 from the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, addressed to the Director of Industries and Commerce, Madras.

2. D.O. No. 309 L1/48, dated 14.6.48, from the Director of Industries and Commerce, Madras.

ORDER:

The Retrenchment and Reorganisation Committee has recommended among other things that the administration of all work relating to cottage industries should be brought under a unified control under a separate Director of Cottage Industries to be appointed by the Government. The Committee has also suggested that the section in the Office of the Director of Industries and Commerce, dealing with cottage industries under the Deputy Director of Industries and Commerce (Cottage Industries) and the establishment dealing with Amelioration work formerly under the Board of Revenue and since brought under the Registrar of Co-operative Societies may be transferred to the new Department. The Provincial Firka Development Board which met on 4.12.48 also recommended that the administration of cottage industries should be transferred from the Director of Industries and Commerce and taken up by the Government direct in the Firka Development Department.

2. The Registrar of Co-operative Societies and the Director of Industries and Commerce who were consulted on the above suggestions, are not in favour of the creation of a separate department for cottage industries and are of the view that all co-operative enterprises for cottage industries should be initiated and developed only by the Co-operative Department and that the Director of Industries and Commerce should deal with the other aspects of development of cottage industries.

3. The Government accept the views of the Registrar of Co-operative Societies and the Director of Industries and Commerce and direct that the existing administrative arrangements shall continue.

(BY ORDER OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR)

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Secretary to Government.

To
The Director of Industries and Commerce,
Madras.

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To the Registrar of Co-operative Societies.
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